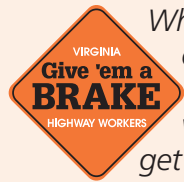


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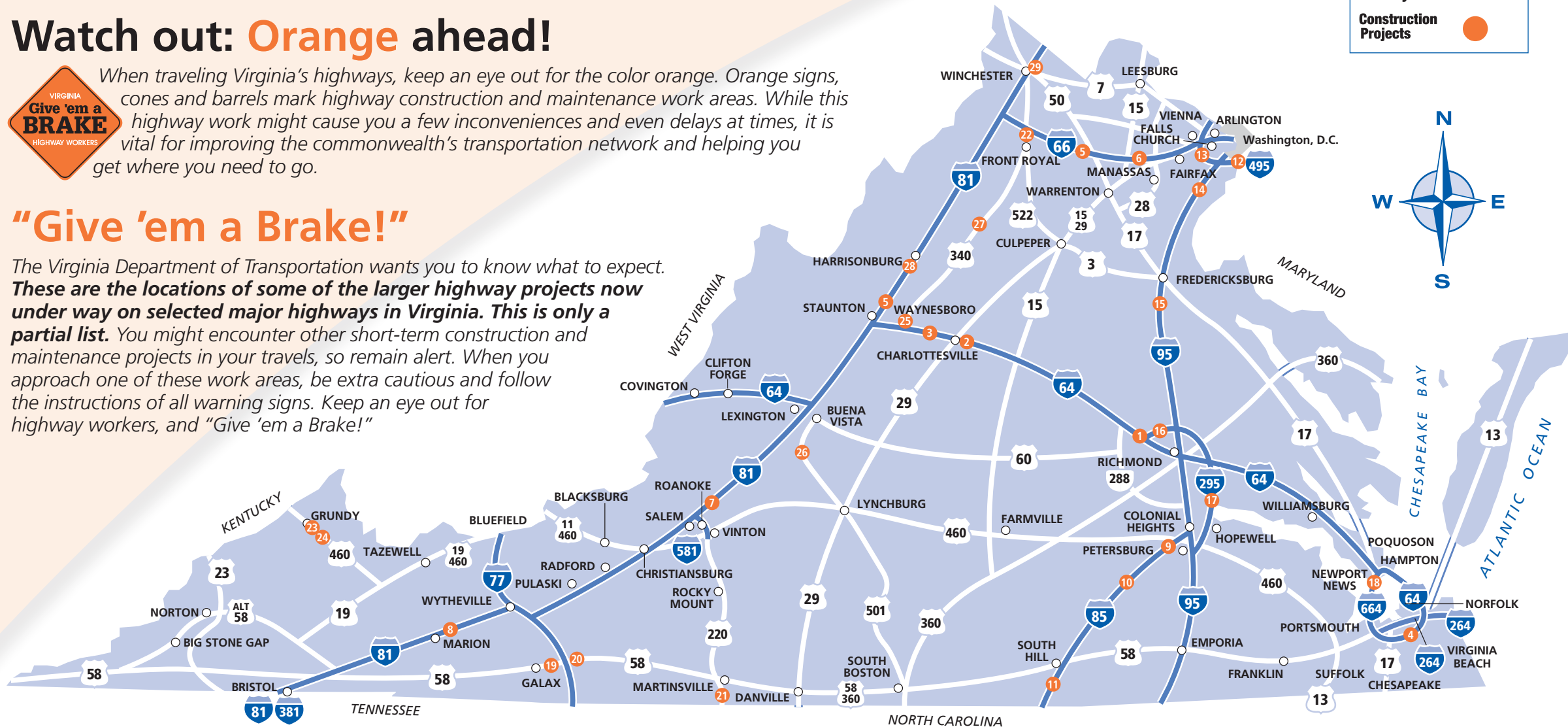
Watch out: Orange ahead!



When traveling Virginia's highways, keep an eye out for the color orange. Orange signs, cones and barrels mark highway construction and maintenance work areas. While this highway work might cause you a few inconveniences and even delays at times, it is vital for improving the commonwealth's transportation network and helping you get where you need to go.

"Give 'em a Brake!"

The Virginia Department of Transportation wants you to know what to expect. **These are the locations of some of the larger highway projects now under way on selected major highways in Virginia. This is only a partial list.** You might encounter other short-term construction and maintenance projects in your travels, so remain alert. When you approach one of these work areas, be extra cautious and follow the instructions of all warning signs. Keep an eye out for highway workers, and "Give 'em a Brake!"



1 I-64/I-295 - Interchange Flyover - western Henrico Co.: Widening ramp from I-64 W to I-295. Lanes will be reduced on I-64 W at Broad St. (Exit 178). Overnight lane closures on I-64 at I-295 for bridge demolition. Visit www.i295flyover.com for the latest information. *Est. compl. spring 2009.*

2 I-64 - Albemarle Co.: WB at Rivanna River (mile marker 123) will be restricted to one lane beginning in March for a deck rehabilitation project. *Est. compl. Aug. 2009.*

3 I-64 - Albemarle Co.: EB at Stockton Creek (mile marker 108) will be restricted to one lane beginning in March for a deck rehabilitation project. *Est. compl. Aug. 2009.*

4 I-64 - Chesapeake (Exits 289-291) Battlefield Blvd.: Widening & new interchange project; traffic shifts & delays. Lane closures 9 p.m. - 5 a.m. Visit www.i64info.com for the latest information. *Est. compl. 2009.*

5 I-66 - Fauquier Co.: EB Rt. 731 (mile marker 23) will be restricted to one lane beginning in March for a deck rehabilitation project. *Est. compl. Aug. 2009.*

6 I-66 - Prince William Co.: Adding two lanes in each direction from Rt. 234 Bypass to Rt. 29 in Gainesville. Includes new ramps at I-66/Rt. 29. Lane closures & delays except during rush hours. *Est. compl. 2010.*

7 I-81 - Botetourt & Roanoke Cos.: Beginning in March, guardrail work on I-81 N and S between the Rockbridge Co. line and the Montgomery Co. line may cause lane closures between 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Shoulder closures also may occur between 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. or 9 p.m. - 6 a.m. *Est. compl. summer 2009.*

8 I-81 - Smyth Co.: Periodic lane closure at (mile marker 48) due to safety improvement project. *Est. compl. summer 2009.*

9 I-85 - Dinwiddie Co.: Pavement repair and overlay on I-85 N and S from Route 460 interchange (mile marker 61) to just south of Squirrel Level Rd. (mile marker 64). Lane closures Sun. - Fri. between 7 p.m. - 6 a.m. *Est. compl. Sept. 2009.*

10 I-85 - N and S- Dinwiddie Co.: Concrete pavement repair from (mile marker 41) to the Route 460 interchange (mile marker 61). *Est. compl. Oct. 2009.*

11 I-85 - Mecklenburg Co.: Bridge deck repair over Route 629 (mile marker 7). Day and night lane closures. *Est. compl. June 2009.*

12 I-95/I-495 - Capital Beltway - Woodrow Wilson Bridge: Lane closures Mon. - Fri. 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. (lanes in VA reopen Fri. at noon). Multiple lanes may be closed during overnight hours. There is a long-term lane closure at Telegraph Rd. until 2011/2012. Variable speed limits may also be used during nighttime hours throughout the construction corridor. Visit www.wilsonbridge.com or call 877-INFO WWB (877-463-6992) for more information.

13 I-95/395/495 - Capital Beltway - Springfield Interchange to Rt. 267 (Dulles Toll Rd.): First of four construction phases of I-495 (Capital Beltway) HOT Lanes. Lane closures Mon. - Thurs. 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. & 9:30 p.m. - 5:00 a.m.; Fri. 9:00 a.m. - noon. Expect weekend lane closures for steel erection on overpass bridges & other interstates connecting bridge ramps in I-495 corridors from Springfield Interchange to Dulles Toll Rd. (Rt. 267). No lane closures on national holidays. *Est. compl. of four phases 2013.*

14 I-95 - Fairfax Co.: Parkway to Woodbridge: Construction to widen I-95 N and S and add 4th lane six miles in each direction from Rt. 7100 (Exit 166) to Rt. 123 (Exit 160). No rush hour lane closures. Lane closures Mon. - Thurs. 9:30 p.m. - 5 a.m., Fri. 9 a.m. - noon. Occasional nighttime weekend closures of all lanes in one direction to lift steel beams over I-95. No lane closures on holiday weekends. *Est. compl. fall 2011.*

15 I-95 - Spotsylvania Co.: Periodic lane closures on I-95 N and S at (mile marker 123). Part of deck replacement & widening project of Rt. 608 bridge over I-95. *Est. compl. fall 2009.*

16 I-295 - Henrico Co.: Paving on I-295 S between Greenwood/Mountain Rd. (Exit 45) and Rt. 1 (Exit 43). Overnight and some daytime lane closures during non-peak hours. *Est. compl. Nov. 2009.*

Be alert in work zones

- ◆ Proceed with extreme caution
- ◆ Watch out for highway workers
- ◆ Drive at the posted speed
(*The fine for speeding in a work zone can be as high as \$500*)
- ◆ Don't change lanes or pass in work zones
- ◆ Leave plenty of room between your vehicle and others around you

Travel Information:

Toll-free numbers and Web sites

Call these numbers or visit these Web sites to learn about Virginia traffic conditions, incidents, events or work zones that could affect your travel. (Note: TTY/TDD users should call 711.)

Current traffic and travel information on interstates and major routes

Visit www.511Virginia.org



Report road hazards

Call the Highway Helpline at 1-800-367-ROAD (7623) or visit www.VirginiaDOT.org

If you are involved in a crash

Stop at once and render assistance. **If no one is injured and the vehicles can be moved to prevent traffic backups, do so – it's the law.**

Other helpful numbers

Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel	(757) 331-2960
Jamestown-Scotland Ferry	1-800-VAFERRY
Virginia's E-ZPass	1-877-762-7824
or visit www.ezpassva.com	
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17 I-295 S. Prince George/Henrico Co.: Concrete pavement repair (mile marker 7 to mile marker 30). *Est. compl. Oct. 2009*

18 I-664 - Newport News/Hampton (Exits 1-4): Concrete pavement repairs & roadway improvements from I-64 & I-664 interchange to Chestnut Ave. Various overnight lane closures. *Est. compl. April 2011.*

19 Rt. 58 - Carroll Co.: Drainage structure installation and paving will reduce Rt. 58 traffic to one lane in each direction near Woodlawn. *Est. compl. summer 2009.*

20 Rt. 58 - Carroll Co./Hillsville: Construction on a new 5.2-mile bypass around Hillsville will impact traffic on the Rt. 58 bridge over Little Reed Island Creek. The bridge will be widened and the riding surface replaced. The bridge is located near Gardner Mill Rd. between Hillsville and I-77. EB Rt. 58 traffic across the bridge will be reduced to one lane, and the speed limit reduced to 35 mph. Expect delays. *Est. compl. spring 2009.*

21 Rt. 220 Bus. - Ridgeway: The Rt. 220 Bus. (Main St.) Bridge in Ridgeway is being replaced. The bridge, located just off Rt. 220 is closed. Traffic is detoured onto Rt. 87. *Est. compl. fall 2010.*

22 Rt. 340/522/55 - Warren Co.: Bridge Replacement over North Fork of Shenandoah River. Construction from Rt. 55 W to Rt. 637, north of Front Royal. First phase complete; traffic shifted to portion of new bridge while existing bridge is removed & rebuilt. This traffic configuration will remain until end of Phase II construction. Speed limit 25 mph. Expect intermittent delays. *Est. compl. fall 2009.*

23 Rt. 460 - Grundy: Relocation of approx. 1 mile of Rt. 460 in downtown Grundy. Free shuttle service available downtown during project. *Est. compl. summer 2009.*

24 Rt. 460 - Grundy, Phase II: Construction on a new location from east end of Grundy to Route 615. *Est. compl. Nov. 2011*

25 Rt. 340 - City of Waynesboro: Reconstruction of roadway and replacement of railroad overpass. From intersection of Rt. 250 to 0.25 miles north. *Est. compl. fall 2011.*

26 Rt. 130 - Rockbridge County: Reconstruction and replacement of bridge over Maury River, 0.1 miles south of intersection of Rt. 501 in the Town of Glasgow. *Est. compl. fall 2010.*

27 Rt. 340 - Page Co.: Bridge Replacement over Jeremy's Run - Tributary of the Shenandoah River. Speed reduced to 45 mph. Expect Intermittent delays. *Est. compl. fall 2009.*

28 I-81 - Rockingham Co.: Interchange reconstruction at Exit 247. Expect nighttime lane closures on I-81 SB and Rt. 33 EB and WB. *Est. compl. fall 2009.*

29 Papermill Road - City of Winchester: Widening of existing 2 lane roadway to 5 lanes, curb/gutter, and utilities. Expect daytime and nighttime lane closures, as well as detours. *Est. compl. summer 2010.*



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Take Virginia's Highway Safety Challenge:
Buckle up, avoid distractions, share the road, drive drug and alcohol free and obey speed limits.



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